Table 8--Receipts of Producer Milk and Related Statistics, by Federal Milk Order Marketing Area, December 2002, with Comparisons

Federal Milk Order Marketing Area	Order Number	Number of Producers		Receipts of Producer Milk			Average Daily	Component Test of Producer Milk 1/				Somatic Cell
		Total	Change from Prev. Year	2002	2001	Change from Prev. Year	Delivery Per Producer	Butterfat	Nonfat Solids	Protein	Other Solids	Count 1/
		Count		Million pounds		Percent	Pounds	Percent			Thousand	
Northeast	001	16,565	-376	2,092	2,078	0.7	4,073	3.82	8.74	3.06	5.68	
Appalachian	005	3,948	-69	558	558	0.0	4,559	3.80				
Southeast	007	4,435	-546	605	699	-13.4	4,403	3.79				
Florida	006	304	1	245	230	6.4	25,969	3.67				
Mideast 3/	033	10,678	-979	1,364	1,559	-12.5	4,120	3.83	8.81	3.11	5.70	327
Upper Midwest 2/3/	030	14,949	279	1,825	1,834	-0.5	3,938	3.80	8.75	3.07	5.68	296
Central 2/3/	032	9,103	-754	1,637	1,523	7.5	5,800	3.80	8.81	3.10	5.70	289
Southwest 3/	126	935	-26	794	767	3.6	27,406	3.77	8.82	3.13	5.69	326
Arizona-Las Vegas	131	107	-5	257	245	5.2	77,576	3.70				
Western 2/3/	135	853	25	448	461	-2.9	16,953	3.74	8.81	3.13	5.69	
Pacific Northwest	124	970	-223	654	620	5.4	21,748	3.74	8.77	3.08	5.69	
All Markets Combined 4/		62,847	-2,673	10,479	10,573	-0.9	5,379	3.79	8.78	3.09	5.69	310

^{1/} Figures for components other than butterfat are available only for those orders with the component pricing system for paying producers.

Figures for Somatic Cell Count are available only for those orders which adjust producer payments for this item.

^{2/} Handlers in these marketing areas elected not to pool milk in 2001 due to disadvantageous class and uniform price relationships.

^{3/} Handlers in these marketing areas elected not to pool milk in 2002 due to disadvantageous class and uniform price relationships.

^{4/} May not add due to rounding. Figures for Component Test and Somatic Cell Count are the weighted average of the individual market figures.

The weighting factors are the applicable pounds in total producer milk receipts.